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**Amendments to the Claims:**

**Listing of Claims:**

Claim 1 (currently amended) A liquid crystal display comprising:  
a backlight unit comprising:

- 5     an optical film positioned above a light source ~~and at least~~ , the optical  
          film including a vacuum layer, a diffusion film, a prism, and a  
          diffusion plate; and

a liquid crystal display panel positioned above the optical film;  
wherein the vacuum layer is used for isolating heat generated by the light  
10    source.

Claim 2 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 1, wherein the  
vacuum layer includes an upper plate and a lower plate both formed of  
transparent materials, and the upper plate and the lower plate enclose a  
15    vacuum.

Claim 3 (cancelled)

Claim 4 (currently amended) The liquid crystal display of claim [[3]] 1,  
20    wherein the vacuum layer is positioned between the diffusion plate and the  
light source.

Claim 5 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 1, wherein the  
vacuum layer is positioned between the liquid crystal display panel and the  
25    diffusion plate.

Claim 6 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the  
transparent materials are selected from the group consisting of glass,  
acrylic and polycarbonate (PC).

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Claim 7 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the upper plate is used as a prism.

- 5 Claim 8 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the lower plate is used as a diffusion plate.

Claim 9 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the upper plate is used as a diffusion plate.